

ANCIENT CONTRACT MAY BIND TIGERS

Question of Eligibility of Three Men is Still Hanging Fire.

IOWA TEAM IS OVER-CONFIDENT

Battle Will Be One of the Hardest Fought Ever Waged Here.

Not until tomorrow will it be definitely decided whether Anderson, Miller and Carothers, Missouri's three husky line-men, will be barred from playing against the Hawkeyes because of a contract signed two years ago. The three men are objected to by the Iowa management on the ground that their playing would violate the three-year clause of the Chicago Conference rules, under which Missouri contracted in the fall of 1906 to meet the Iowans in 1907 and 1908.

All three men have played three years for the Tigers, and the Chicago Conference prohibits more than three years' participation. The contract which Missouri made with Iowa was previous to the formation of the Missouri Valley Conference, of which both institutions are members. Hence it is not affected by the workings of the Missouri Valley conference, which prohibits more than three years' participation in intercollegiate athletics, but is not retroactive and would not bar the three men in question from any games not governed by special contract.

Waived Right Last Year.

Iowa last year waived her right to enforce the three-year and graduate rules, but that action is not binding this year.

So it appears that Missouri is at a distinct disadvantage, one way or the other. If these three men, representing at least 25 per cent of the Tiger defense and offense, are kept out of the game, the score will not properly represent Missouri's playing strength, whether the Tigers win or lose. If they are allowed to play at the last moment, the team and coaches will have suffered by the suspense.

One thing is sure. There's going to be a football game tomorrow afternoon. And it will be the hardest fought battle, from start to finish, that Rollins Field has ever witnessed. Whether Anderson, Miller and Carothers play or not, there's going to be a team of eleven Tigers scrapping for every inch every minute, and they will fight all the harder because of the efforts of Iowa to disqualify some of the best men.

Iowa Is Over-Confident.

Iowa, in all communications yet received concerning the game, has been over-optimistic, and this will not help the Hawkeyes' chances. Their 92-to-0 victory over Coe College, a little Iowa "prep" school, last Saturday, has meant much for the Tigers.

The two teams are evenly matched as to weight and speed. It's more a matter of gameness, and Missouri's past records in this respect justify a prediction of a great battle tomorrow—one which, even with her possible handicaps, Missouri has a fair chance to win.

LOST OR STOLEN: KING OF SERBIA

London Hears That Peter Has Abandoned Throne and Fled.

By United Press. LONDON, Oct. 16.—Reports from Belgrade say that King Peter has abdicated and fled from Serbia. No confirmation of the news can be had at this time, but it is impossible to locate the king. Even the members of the national assembly and his ministers have failed in their efforts to find him. It is feared that war between Serbia and Austria is a certainty if the report is true.

Bryan's Itinerary Announced.

By United Press. CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—A portion of Bryan's itinerary for his eastern trip was announced today. He will be in Indiana Oct. 20, and from there he will tour Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and New Jersey until Oct. 24. He will then go to New York and remain until Oct. 29 before starting west.

STAR WHOM IOWA
WOULD RULE OUT



CAPT. E. L. MILLER.

HAWKEYES MUST BUCK MISSOURI WEATHER AS WELL AS TIGER LINE

Atmospheric Conditions May Play Part in Iowa-Missouri Gridiron Clash.

Heavy atmospheric conditions may figure to Missouri's advantage tomorrow in the football game with Iowa University on Rollins Field. The weather forecast indicates warm, cloudy weather for Saturday, although the local bureau predicts rain and colder weather Saturday night or Sunday.

It is believed here that the Iowa team, used to the colder weather of the north, will be weakened by a sultry day, in the same way that Missouri teams have often been hampered at Iowa City by colder weather and lighter atmospheric conditions.

The effect of barometric conditions upon the playing of football has often been noticed. Teams from the Mississippi Valley which have gone to Rocky Mountain states to play at high altitudes have invariably found themselves at a disadvantage.

The weather forecast follows: "Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Warmer tonight."

The temperature was 62 degrees at 7 a. m. and 82 degrees at 2 p. m.

DR. HILL IS CONFUSED BY SURPLUS OF "REDS" ON FOOTBALL HORIZON

President Makes Horrible Mistake and Congratulates "Red" Wilson, Instead of Williams.

"Well, are you going to be in the Iowa game?"

"I—don't know, I—"

"I'm certainly glad that you have come out. Did you play last year?"

"Why, —er—no. You see, I—wasn't here last year."

"I thought you were, but at any rate I'm glad to see you out, for we've been needing you pretty badly."

The foregoing is the conversation of President A. Ross Hill and the only football man who has been congratulated by "prexie" this season. It occurred at secret practice Tuesday afternoon.

Who was the lucky man? Possibly it was "Red" Williams, but no, and that's where the story comes in. Dr. Hill made a horrible mistake. He got the "Reds" mixed, and instead of giving the glad hand to Missouri's future quarterback, he congratulated "Red" Wilson, of past circus-riot fame, who was out for the first time and perhaps the only time this season. He had put on a suit, and was playing with the "scrubs" in order to get a little "exercise," as he explained it.

Taft Invades South.

By United Press. CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 16.—William H. Taft, Republican candidate for President, spoke here today. He urged the voters to break the "Solid South" and suggested that they take their first "cold bath." He asked for the support of Democrats. He stated that possibly he would get enough electoral votes without the South, but would like to know that Tennessee helped to elect him.

STUDENT LIVES ON \$3 A MONTH; ANOTHER IS "TRUST" MAGNATE

Jacob Kalina, of Russia, for a Year Adhered Rigidly to Diet of Bread, Beans, Soup Bones and Milk.

I. L. BRIDGER HAS A MONOPOLY OF TOWN'S WINDOW CLEANING

He Started in the University Penniless, But Now is Saving Money.

HOW JACOB KALINA LIVED ON 75 CENTS A WEEK	
Stale bread	\$.10
White beans	.25
Soup bones	.20
Milk	.05
Total for week	
Coffee (special)	.05
Grand total	\$.75
Cost of living one month, \$3.	

COST TO AVERAGE STUDENT (By month)	
University dormitories for men	\$12 to \$15
University dormitories for women	20 to 24
Private boarding houses	18 to 25
Fraternity houses	20 to 28
Sorority houses	25 to 35
Hotels	30 to 40

Of more than fifty students of the University of Missouri who are dependent wholly on their own resources for an education, one has demonstrated how to live a year on 75 cents a week and another has proved the possibilities of a "benevolent trust." Their experiences are unique among those of the boys who came to Columbia with barely enough money to pay their entrance fees and have since entirely paid their own way.

Jacob Kalina, of Warsaw, Russia, has attended school on less money than any other student of the University. When Kalina came to the University two years ago to study law, his possessions consisted of just \$12 and the clothes he wore. He figured out the expenses of the average student, and concluded he would have to devise a new schedule and adhere to it rigidly throughout the year. Ten of Kalina's twelve dollars went to pay the general entrance fee of the University.

Lived in Basement.

With \$2 in his pocket he started out to get an education and a job. After a weary search he found a family who agreed to let him live in a basement room of the house in return for his services in firing the furnace. Another family was willing to pay him 75 cents a week for washing dishes.

With that as a total income, Kalina devised a "menu card" for the week. It called for stale bread, white beans, soup bones and milk, the total cost of which, as Kalina figured it, was exactly 70 cents a week. That left him five cents to buy a cup of coffee once a week. "Coffee Day" stood out as a red-letter day in the scheme of Kalina's existence. The lone cup of coffee each week was his only dissipation during the year.

Thrived on His "Menu."

How Kalina thrived on the diet is shown by the grades he made during the year. For several weeks he attended school without text-books, making up for the lack of them by reading in the library and borrowing from other students. His \$2, left after paying the entrance fee, helped somewhat and odd jobs during the hours that he was not studying or waiting on table made up the rest of the sum for the purchase of the books.

In all of his classes he made as good grades as the average "money-from-home" students and in addition he took part in several University activities, notably debating. He is now classed as one of the best debaters in the school and has a good chance of getting a place on the University debating squad, from which men are chosen to represent the school in the inter-state debates.

Treasurer of Club.

He was one of the organizers of the Cosmopolitan Club, composed of foreign students in the University, and is now its treasurer.

Kalina's efforts were rewarded last year, when he was appointed a clerk in the office of the University publisher. The salary is meagre, but Kalina says it's riches compared to his original "income." He is now able to eat at the University Dining Club.

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HOLDER OF RECORD FOR CHEAP LIVING, AND HEAD OF MONOPOLY



JACOB KALINA.



I. L. BRIDGER.

FOLK TO SPEAK AT EXERCISES HERE

Cornerstone of Agricultural Building to Be Laid October 26.

Former Gov. A. M. Dockery will officiate as grand master when the cornerstone of the new Agricultural building of the University of Missouri is laid the morning of Oct. 26. The exercises will be under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Missouri. Gov. Folk is expected to deliver an address.

Thomas J. Wornall, whose influence aided in obtaining the appropriation for the building; State Senator A. H. Durnert, from this district; President N. J. Colman of the State Board of Agriculture; State Auditor W. W. Wilder, Representative M. H. Pemberton, Campbell Wells, President A. Ross Hill of the University of Missouri and former President R. H. Jesse will be the other speakers.

Ear of Corn in the Stone.

Enclosed in the cornerstone will be a copper box containing a complete set of University publications for the year. A perfect ear of corn will be hermetically sealed in a glass jar and put into the stone, with the grower's name and the location of its growth. The names of the Board of Curators, members of the faculty, officers of the University and the last annual report of the Board of Curators, on parchment, will also be enclosed in the stone.

The building is to cost \$100,000. It will be of limestone quarried on the State farm, laid in portland cement. The whole will be fireproof, and the building is expected to be one of the handsomest of the University group.

Size of the Building.

It will be 208 feet long, and will stand on the site of the old greenhouse, one of the most beautiful spots on the University grounds.

The auditorium will have a seating capacity of 500, and will be used for farmers' conventions, large classes and exercises in that department.

In the new building will be housed the State Board of Agriculture, the Secretary of State Highway Commissioners, and the Pure Food and Dairy Commissioners, in addition to the University uses to which it will be put.

MISSOURI GRADUATE IN COLUMBIA FACULTY

Walter Rautenstrauch, B. S., Professor of Mechanical Engineering.

Walter Rautenstrauch, B. S. in M. E., '02 at the University of Missouri, has been appointed professor of mechanical engineering in Columbia University, New York City. Since leaving the University here he has held important positions with corporations and several eastern colleges. He was instructor in the University of Maine. He then accepted an assistant professorship at Cornell University. He also held the position of engineer for the Standard Steel Corporation Co., Pittsburg, Pa.

In 1905-6 he was assistant professor of mechanical engineering in Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. In May, 1907, he accepted a position at Columbia University, N. Y., and was consulting engineering for the Crescent Manufacturing Co.

WABASH OFFICIALS COME TO COLUMBIA

Investigation of Conditions Under Way—History of Agents Here.

W. B. Jennings, traveling freight agent for the Wabash railroad, and Division Freight Agent Hopkins, both with headquarters at Moberly, came to Columbia today to investigate conditions here. Mr. Hopkins came to arrange for construction of the Machir place crossings, about which complaint has been made through the University Missourian.

How inadequate the Wabash service has been in Columbia is shown by the frequent changes in station agents during the past three years. There have been five, one after another resigning because sufficient help was not assigned for him, and because of the continual complaints the station agent must listen to on account of the poor service on the Columbia branch.

Scurlock Agent Ten Years.

R. P. Scurlock was agent here ten years, resigning in February, 1906, because he was overworked, the Wabash refusing to allow a larger force to care for the increasing Columbia business. After Mr. Scurlock went into the transfer business, W. L. Frazier became the agent. He endured it only four months.

R. W. Johnson, the next agent, remained here only about two months, and A. P. Ogier, his successor, only six. The force was somewhat increased thereafter, but C. W. Jones, the next agent, remained only eighteen months.

M. D. Bell, the incumbent, has been agent since then.

FIRE DOES \$800,000 DAMAGE IN CHICAGO

Most Spectacular Blaze in Years Threatens to Sweep City.

By United Press. CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—Fire this morning destroyed the storage building of the International Salt Company on Calumet river, causing a total loss of \$800,000.

Fifty freight cars and several barges were burned. Two huge freight boats loaded with grain were saved by fire tugs. Five acres of ground were burned over.

It was first thought that South Chicago was doomed and the entire fire department of the city was called out. The flames rose hundreds of feet, making the most spectacular blaze that Chicago has seen in five years.

Wagon Wrecked by Runaway.

Frightened at a gravel roller, the horses of A. P. Tolson, a country butcher, living three miles north of Columbia, ran away this morning on Rollins street, between Hitt street and Missouri avenue, throwing A. P. Tolson and William Jones to the ground. Neither was hurt, but the wagon was almost completely wrecked.

SASKATCHEWAN U. PRESIDENT HERE

Head of the New Canadian College Visits University of Missouri.

HIGH PRAISE FOR DR. HILL

Is Particularly Impressed With Training School For Teachers.

President William C. Murray, of Saskatchewan University, the youngest University in Canada, is visiting the University of Missouri today. President Murray is on a tour to include all the leading Universities of the United States. He is accompanied by D. R. McCall, superintendent of education of the state of Saskatchewan, and J. Dixon of the Board of Curators of the University.

President Murray said the new institution would be modeled after the leading state universities of the United States. In speaking of the University of Missouri, he said:

Likes Teachers College.

"I think the Teachers College is the most distinctive feature of the University here. I was very favorably impressed with the work being done in that department. The department of Journalism is another distinctive feature of this University and I hope that the students will fully appreciate the necessity of having a thorough academic education, along with the training that they will get in the new department."

"I think you have a very beautiful campus here. It is one of the prettiest I have ever seen. I haven't been in Columbia very long, consequently I haven't seen much of your University, but the best that I have seen is your President. I went to school with President Hill, and hold him in very high esteem. I don't think the University authorities could have made a better choice. I am very much pleased at the high standard maintained here, in all lines."

"Comparisons Odious."

Asked by a reporter for the University Missourian as to what he thought of the University of Missouri compared with other big Universities, Dr. Murray said:

"Comparisons are odious, but that doesn't mean that I haven't a good opinion of this University."

Mr. McCall, superintendent of Education for the State of Saskatchewan, said of the new University: "It will be kept entirely free from politics; it will be non-partisan and will receive generous support from the Legislature."

The party has visited the following schools: Minnesota, Iowa, Iowa State College and Washington University of St. Louis.

BALLOON "LANDS" IN SEA; LOSES RACE

Helvetia is Disqualified—Banshee Wins on 275-Mile Flight.

By United Press. BERLIN, Oct. 16.—Although the Swiss balloon Helvetia sailed 775 miles in the international long-distance cup race, the British entry, the Banshee, which went approximately 275 miles from the starting point, has been officially declared the winner of the race.

The Helvetia was disqualified because it did not "land," according to the rules. It dropped into the North Sea and had to be towed a mile to shore. The Banshee landed on the coast of Denmark.

GOV. HASKELL FILES SUIT FOR \$600,000

Deputy Breaks into Mrs. Hearst's Apartment on Train.

By United Press. OMAHA, Oct. 16.—William R. Hearst was served today with notice of a \$600,000 damage suit instituted by Gov. Haskell of Oklahoma. A deputy sheriff broke into the Pullman stateroom occupied by Mr. Hearst and his wife to serve the papers.

The suit was filed late last night and the papers were withdrawn from court. The deputy waited for the train.